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In Re Application of:

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**For: DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM
AND METHOD FOR MAINTAINING
SECURE USER PRIVATE KEYS IN
NON-SECURE STORAGE**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 116**  
**AND PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**  
**TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

This amendment is made pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 116 to correct the original naming of inventors in the declaration that was filed on March 3, 1999. Such erroneous omission occurred without any deceptive intention on the part of the inventor that was omitted.

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10**

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I hereby certify that the application/correspondence attached hereto is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Box DAC; Assistant Commissioner for Patents; Washington, D.C. 20231.

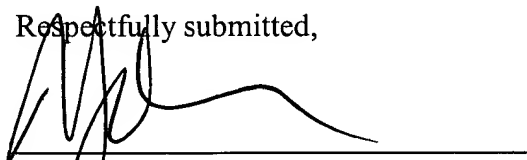
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This petition is made pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) to correct the inventorship of the above-entitled application by adding inventor **Scott Thomas Elliott**, in addition to the originally named inventors in the declaration as filed with the application on March 3, 1999. Attached to this amendment and petition are the following documents in support thereof:

1. A duly executed Statement by Inventor Scott Thomas Elliott pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.48(a)(1), wherein the proposed added inventor Scott Thomas Elliott states that he was erroneously omitted from the declaration that was filed on March 3, 1999, and that there was no deceptive intent on his part.
2. A corrected Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by all inventors.
3. An Assent of Assignee to Add Inventor under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(4). Attached to this assent are:
  - (a) Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b); and
  - (b) Recordation Assignment Cover Sheet with a duly executed corrected assignment document.
4. The petition fee of \$130.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) may be charged to **IBM Deposit Account No. 50-0563**.

Respectfully submitted,



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